DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice, 2nd sort	7·30	6·90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·81	12·37	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort ...		7·47	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi thrashing. Cattle are in good condition. Foot and mouth disease is prevailing here and there. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ragi in parts of Hoskote; ragi, avare, togari and horse gram in parts of the Kankanhalli; paddy, ragi and tamarind in parts of Magadi; avare, togari and horse gram in parts of Closepet; and ragi in parts of Devanhalli were harvested. Milling of sugar cane in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli is also reported. Weeding in paddy fields in parts of Dodballapur and weeding in potato plantations in parts of Devanhalli and transplanting of paddy in parts of Kasaba and Virupakshipur hoblis of Channapatna Taluk are also reported. Lands are being got ready for planting sugar cane in parts of Magadi and sowing of Vaisakhi paddy under some of the major tanks in parts of Anekal.

State of standing crops.—Potatoes in parts of Hoskote; Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane in parts of Dodballapur; sugar cane in parts of Nelamangala; sugar cane and paddy in parts of Kankanhalli; sugar cane in parts of Magadi; sugar cane and paddy in parts of Channapatna and Anekal; sugar cane in parts of Closepet and Devanhalli are reported to be fair. But sugar cane crop is reported to be withering in parts of Hoskote.

Outturn of crops.—Paddy—Bangalore, 6 to 8 annas; Hoskote, 4 to 6 annas; Dodballapur and Magadi, 4 to 8 annas and Nelamangala, 8 to 16 annas; ragi—Hoskote, Dodballapur and Magadi, 4 to 8 annas; Kankanhalli, 2 to 8 annas; and Closepet, 8 annas; sugar cane—Dodballapur, 8 to 12 annas; and Anekal, 8 annas; horse gram—Kankanhalli, 2 annas; and Closepet, 6 annas; Devanhalli, paddy, 4 annas; ragi, 4 annas; sugar cane, 8 annas. There were no damages to crops.

10. The prospect of the season is reported to be fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in Vartur, Begur and Jodi Kalkere of Bangalore Taluk, Kar bashahalli, Hosahalli and Pujainagrahar of Hoskote Taluk, public health is generally good. Small-pox is subsiding in parts of Mallur and Kasaba hoblis.

12. Except for a few cases of rinderpest among cattle in Bandur, Valagerehalli of Channapatna, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available for the present. In some parts of Devanhalli Taluk drinking water for cattle is supplied from drinking wells.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for planting sugar cane in parts of Kolar and Sidlaghatta Taluks. Sugar cane is being milled in Chikballapur, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in Bagepalli Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy in Mulbagal and Malur Taluks, yield 6 to 8 annas; sugar cane in Sidlaghatta, yield 8 annas; in Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas; in Goribidnur Taluk, 8 to 10 annas; and in Malur, 6 to 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane and jola are in a fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. There have been a few cases of plague in Kolar, Srinivaspur and Mulbagal Taluks and Kolar Gold Fields, otherwise public health is generally good.

12. Except for a few cases of "Neradi roga" in parts of Sidlaghatta Taluks, cattle are healthy. Assistant Veterinary Inspector written to. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri and Chiknayakanhalli Talûks and in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; natu ragi in Sira Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; sugar cane in Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks and in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; groundnuts in Maddagiri Taluk, yield 2 to 4 annas; jola in Chiknayakanhalli and Sira Taluks, yield 2 to 8 annas; wheat in Sira Taluk, yield 2 to 4 annas; horse gram and cotton in Pavagada Taluk, yield 2 to 6 annas; Bengal gram in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks, yield 2 to 8 annas.

Standing crops are reported to be in fairly good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is good, except for small-pox in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada Taluks and in Tumkur Town and for plague in parts of Gubbi Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except in parts of Tumkur Taluk, where "Chappe roga" is said to prevail. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops.*—Bengal gram, cotton, castor, avare, paddy, coriander, sugar cane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Castor in parts of the Mysore and Gundlupet Taluks; paddy in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Mandya Taluks; Bengal gram in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk and sugar cane in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

Outturn of crops.—Castor in parts of the Mysore Taluk, yield 8 annas and paddy in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Kar paddy, kadale, and menthya in Hassan Taluk; kode paddy in Manjarabad Taluk; kadale in Arkalgud Taluk; sugar cane in Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy, sugar cane and cholam in Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Kadale in Belur Taluk; sugar cane in Channarayapatna Taluk and cholam in Arsikere Taluk are being harvested.

Yield.—Sugar cane in Channarayapatna, 8 annas.
Raiyats are engaged in their thrashing floors.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in parts of Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Arsikere Taluks and plague in parts of Hassan Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder available. The Amildar of Belur Taluk reports that the "foot and mouth" disease is prevailing among cattle in certain villages of Kasaba hobli and that the Assistant Veterinary Inspector, Hassan, has been addressed in the matter of sending written instructions for treating the sick cattle.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplanting of Vaisakhi paddy has been commenced in parts of Sagar Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane throughout the district, Bengal gram and cotton in Channagiri Taluk, and wheat, oil-seeds and tobacco in Honnali, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Cotton in Channagiri Taluk, Bengal gram in Honnali Taluk, areca-nut in Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, are being harvested. Sugar cane is being milled in Shimoga, Channagiri, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, but for plague in parts of Shimoga, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks, a few cases suspected to be cholera in one village of Channagiri Taluk and small-pox in parts of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks.

12. Fodder and water are available. "Foot and mouth" disease is reported to have appeared in Channagiri, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks. In the remaining parts cattle are reported to be healthy.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared in parts of Mudgere Taluk and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Kode paddy is being sown in parts of Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—Bengal gram, sugar cane, garlic, onions and menthya; Kadur—wheat, sugar cane, besige jola, castor and Bengal gram; Tarikere—sugar cane, castor, Bengal gram, besige jola and cotton; Koppa—areca, sugar cane, coffee and pepper; Mudgere—paddy and sugar cane; Yedahalli—sugar cane and areca; Sringeri—sugar cane, paddy and areca. All these crops are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur—paddy, coffee, sugar cane, garlic and onions yield 8 to 10 annas; Kadur—paddy, ragi, samé, navane, coriander and Bengal gram, yield 8 to 12 annas; kulthi 2 to 4 annas; avare 6 to 8 annas; Tarikere—wheat, cotton, castor, sugar cane, paddy, ragi, kulthi, jola, coriander, Bengal gram and coffee, yield 8 to 12 annas; Koppa—areca and coffee; Mudgere—sugar cane and coffee, yield 4 to 12 annas; Yedahalli—areca and sugar cane yield 10 to 12 annas; Sringeri—sugar cane, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair on the whole. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in some villages of Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks and small-pox in a few villages of Chikmagalur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth" disease is reported to be prevailing among cattle in parts of Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk and also in Sringeri. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Besige jola, Bengal gram, cotton, wheat, sugar cane, horse gram, castor and paddy are reported to be in fair condition, except in the Hosdurga Taluk, where the dry crops are reported to have withered.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in the Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Castor in the Challakere and Jagalur Taluks, yield 4 to 10 annas; horse gram in the Challakere and Jagalur Taluks, yield 2 to 4 annas; cotton in the Challakere, Davangere, Molakalmuru and Jagalur Taluks, yield 4 to 10 annas; Bengal gram in the Hiriyur and Jagalur Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 12 annas; jola in the Hiriyur, Holalkere, Davangere, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 12 annas; togari in the Jagalur Taluk, yield 6 to 10 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for prevalence of plague in the Harihar town and of small-pox in parts of the Hiriyur, Davangere and Jagalur Taluks.

12. Cattle are healthy.

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